The Oriental Store.



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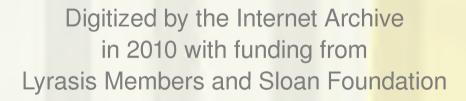
A view in our interesting basement partially showing the section devoted to Summer home furnishing and Japanese garden decoration.



An aisle in our beautiful Oriental lamp section, main floor, where rare Oriental porcelains are also shown in profusion.

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# INTRODUCTION

O you, our friends, who cannot personally visit the new Vantine Store, at Fifth Avenue and Thirtyninth Street, New York, and there view the thousands of objects of Oriental art and utility which are being selected and sent to us constantly by our

representatives in the Far East, we are sending this book to indicate the versatility of the Vantine stock.

We cannot, even by picture, convey to you the true atmosphere of the goods—that rare combination of art and usefulness which appeals at once to your sense of comfort and artistic repose.

It is for this quality that the Oriental stands out alone—silhouetted against the world's background of commercialism. In no other quarter of the globe is the artistic furnishing of the home given such consideration.

We have imported only those articles which we know, from long experience, to be practical for the American home. Prices considered, they are superior to articles of domestic manufacture intended for the same utilities.

This book contains many of the newer arrivals from the Orient—things which you can purchase by mail with the same assurance of satisfaction as though you personally selected in our store. But it is by no means a complete list; and if there are things not described herein, in which you are interested, we shall be pleased to send descriptions, and photographs, if required.

When you do come to New York, kindly remember that Vantine's is the one place above all others that you should visit—as important in its educational and exhibition character as many of the famous institutions of the metropolis. It is America's most intimate point of contact with the Far East, and being centrally located is easily accessible from every steamship pier and railroad depot.



A reproduction of a famous French designer's poster, in which the Japanese styles of 1560 have formed the inspiration for the Spring and Summer modes of 1914.



UT of the old, old Orient, with its picturesque pagodas, its quaint minarets, and riot of rainbow hues, comes the inspiration for Milady's styles for the Spring and Summer of 1914.

Never has the Oriental tendency in women's attire been so apparent, and to judge from the number of new creations that are almost daily designed, the adaptation of Far Eastern dress to the Occidental modes of the hour has only just begun.

Individuality in style is, after all, the secret of the well-dressed woman, and in no country does the mode of dress offer such opportunity for originality as that of the Mystical Lands beyond the Sea.

Always the headquarters in America for the best the Orient offers, Vantine's stock of Oriental silks is larger today than at any time in our half century's history. Anticipating the increased demand for these beautiful hand-loom fabrics, months ago our resident representatives in the Orient searched near and far for fabrics particularly adaptable to the prevailing fashions.

At Vantine's, therefore, may be found an infinite variety of Oriental silks in innumerable shades and tints, checks, stripes, brocades, flowered and broche effects, all of which fit perfectly in color and weave, from Empire to bouffant, the smartest creations of the world's most famous designers.



Four beautiful new creations in women's fashionable gowns, illustrating the modified kimono sleeve, the popular Japanese collar and obi (or sash) effect. (Courtesy of Woman's Home Companion.)

The following items taken at random from our large stock only indicate the variety of designs and weaves:

## CANTON SILK (Plain)

A light weight, high lustre silk of coarse weave, for street or evening wear, all colors including black and white. 27 inches wide, per yard, \$1.25

#### LYONS PRINTED SILKS

Lyons Printed Japanese Rainproof Silk, also known as Oriental foulard, ideal for traveling, street or evening wear, large variety of designs in light and dark grounds, dots, stripes and figures.

27 inches wide, per yard, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

#### JAPANESE TAFFETA SILK

Particularly adaptable to the new bouffant styles, in white, black, light blue, lavender and pink.

36 inches wide, per yard, \$2.50

### JAPANESE CREPE TAFFETA

A distinctive and unique weave, exclusively Vantine's, in lavender, pink and citron colors.

43 inches wide, per yard, \$3.50

### JAPANESE AND CHINESE BROCADED CREPES

Suggesting in the richness of their weaves Oriental opulence. Come in white and colors.

27 inches wide, per yard, \$2.50 40 inches wide, per yard, \$3.50, \$4.00

#### JAPANESE HABUTAI SILK

Ideal for linings, blouses, underwear, etc., may be had in practically any plain color desired. 27 inches wide, per yard, 70c. to \$1.50

36 inches wide, per yard, 70c. to \$1.50

#### PLAIN WHITE HABUTAI SILK

27 inches wide, per yard, 50c. to \$2.00 36 inches wide, per yard, 75c. to 2.50

### JAPANESE TANRIYOKU CREPE (Crinkled)

A hand-loom Oriental silk that is always popular. Comes in light and dark colors for street and evening wear. 40 inches wide, per yard, \$2.50

Slightly crinkled any shade desired
23 inches wide, per yard, \$1.35

#### CHINESE CANTON CREPE

A coarse weave silk with soft finish, in white, black and many new shades.

27 inches wide, per yard, \$2.50
40 inches wide, per yard, 4.00

#### CHINESE HAND-EMBROIDERED CANTON CREPE

A beautiful Eastern fabric with hand-embroidered allover design. Comes in black, white and all the new 27 inches wide, per yard, \$6.50, \$7.50

Upon request, specifying weave and colors preferred, we shall mail, postpaid, samples of any of the above

ONGEE silk is perhaps the most popular Oriental fabric we import. The cocoons from which this silk is originally derived are produced by uncultivated silk worms which are collected by the native farmers throughout the greater part of China. The subsequent warping and weaving is done on crude home-constructed warpers and hand-looms of bamboo. The natives market this fabric in the raw state and it is later boiled-off or de-gummed, leaving the pure silk fabric in its natural color, in which condition we import it.

Because of its great durability, Vantine's Chinese pongee is particularly appropriate for children's dresses, rompers, men's and women's automobile coats, men's shirts, office coats, women's shirtwaists and numerous other purposes.

We can furnish this quaint Oriental fabric in six weights at per yard: 33 inches wide, 85c., \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$3.50.

In the printed designs and popular colorings it is distinctive and unique for smart tailored suits, for street dresses and evening gowns.

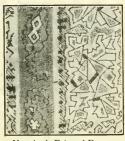
Price per yard, \$2.75



Figured Cotton Crepe 27 inches, 35c. yd.



Oriental Wash Silk 32 inches, \$1.50 yd.



Vantine's Printed Pongee 33 inches, \$2.75 yd.

### JAPANESE WASHABLE SILK

Our stock includes an endless variety of stripes and figures in exclusive designs and colorings especially suitable for men's shirts, and ladies' shirtwaists, 32 inches wide at \$1.50 per yard.

### JAPANESE PLAIN COTTON CREPE

In plain colors, suitable for tub dresses, traveling dresses, shirts, shirtwaists, underwear, etc. This Oriental fabric is woven by hand from threads which have been hand-twisted by workers whose fingers are covered with rice powder to give the fabric its crepey effect. It has all the smartness of linen. Will not wrinkle readily, improves with washing, and requires no pressing. Comes in plain delf, gray, blue, ecru, pink, green, brown and tan. Price, 30 inches wide, per yard, 30c.

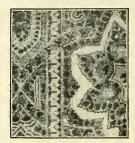
Finer quality Japanese cotton crepe in delf, navy, light blue, tan, brown, dark gray, red, lavender and dark green. Price, 30 inches wide, per yard, 85c.

### JAPANESE FIGURED COTTON CREPE

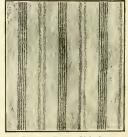
For portieres, wall coverings, window curtains, screens, table scarfs, lamp shades, pillow covers, couch covers, bed covers, closet curtains, bookshelf curtains, for the making of waste baskets, waist boxes, handbags, covering for dresser sets, kimonos, jackets and many other uses too numerous to mention. In blue and white, white ground with floral and bird designs, in pink, blue, green, delf, rose, lavender, wistaria, tan, red, gray and yellow, at price per yard, 27 inches wide, 35c.



Oriental Silk Shirting 32 inches, \$1.50 yd.

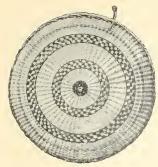


Persian Printed Pongee 33 inches, \$2.75



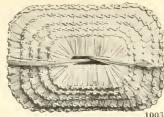
Cotton Crepe Shirting 30 inches, 35c. yd.

Samples of any of the above sent postpaid upon request. (Illustrations one-half actual size)



8627

No. 8627. Hand-woven Grass Porch Mat, made in Kobe, Japan; 18 inches in diameter, about 1½ inches thick. Comes woven in alternate circles of Oriental coloring. Price prepaid, each, 50c.



No. 1003. Oblong Rush (swamp grass) Table Mats for placing under hot dishes. Come in sets of five, ranging in size from 3¼x5 to 6½x9½.

Price per set, 25c.



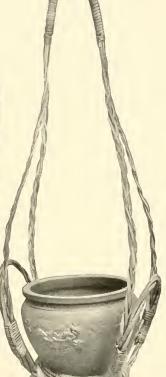
1001

No. 1001. Hand-woven Ning Poo Fans, made in China, of braided bamboo, in plain colors and in mixed fancy colors woven in the braiding, making a very decorative as well as useful fan. Price each, 10c.



1002

No. 1002. Hand-woven Suitcase of split bamboo, telescope style, with leather handle and leather straps. Tough, pliable and durable; comes in five sizes. Prices prepaid, 5x8x16 inches, \$1; 5x10x18 inches, \$1.50; 5\frac{1}{2}x11\frac{1}{2}x20 inches, \$2; 6x13x21 inches, \$2.50; 6x15x24 inches, \$2.75. The first three sizes have one strap. The other two sizes have two straps.



No. 1006. Hand-woven Ra

No. 1006. Hand-woven Rattan Jardiniere Holder, well made throughout and very durable. Price prepaid (not including jardiniere), 33 inches long by 8 inches wide at the bottom, 75c; 41 inches long, 11 inches wide at bottom, \$1.25.
Tokenabi Jardinieres, made of terra

Tokenabi Jardinieres, made of terra cotta colored clay, with raised dragon design. Prices packed for shipment: No. 118. 10½ in. diam. by 8½ in. high, \$1.00. No. 119. 12 in. diam. by 9½ in. high, \$1.25. No. 120. 14 in. diam. by 11 in. high, \$2.50. No. 121. 15½ inches diameter by 12½ in. high, \$5.00.



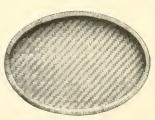
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No.1104. Hand-woven Split Bamboo Baskets, telescope style. Prices prepaid,  $3\frac{1}{2}x7x12,30c.; 4x9x13\frac{1}{2},40c.;$  $4\frac{1}{4}x10x15,50c.$ 



35700

No. 35700. Hand-woven Split Bamboo Satchels, made in Japan. Very popular for carrying bathing suits, etc., a practical traveling satchel that is also light in weight. Comes in five sizes:  $4x4^{+}2x9$  inches,  $25c; 5^{+}2x6^{+}2x11$  inches,  $35c; 7x8x12^{+}2$  inches,  $50c; 7^{+}2x9x16$  inches,  $60c; 9\frac{1}{2}x11x18$  inches, 75c.



18955

No. 18955. Hand-woven Rattan Trays made in interior of China. Come in six sizes in either circular or oval shape. Prices prepaid, circular shape,  $13^{1}_{2}$  inches diameter, 50e; 15 inches, 60e; 16 inches, 90e; 20 inches, 80e; 19 inches, 90e; 20 inches, 80e; 19 inches, 90e; 20 inches, 80e; 18812 inches, 18812 in

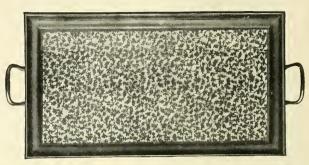
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No. 1100. Distinctive and unique Cocktail or Cordial Tray with bottom of beautiful Chinese Mandarin band overlaid with glass. Mahogany colored frame with brass handles and felt-covered bottom, with rubber tips on each corner; size Price prepaid, each, \$5.50



No. 1101. Artistic Tray with bottom of exquisitely hand-embroidered mat, no two alike, are made from antique Chinese pieces. Mahogany colored frame with brass handles and felt-covered bottom with rubber tip on each corner; size 121/2 x 121/2 inches. Price prep'd, \$6



No. 1102. Japanese Hand-stenciled Serving Tray with mahogany colored frame, brass handles, glass bottom under which is an attractive Japanese stencil, bottom felt-lined with rubber tip on each corner; size 9x16 inches.

Price prepaid, \$5



1103. Well made Papier-mache Tray, heavy lac-quer finish, beautifully decorated in heavy gilt design; size 4 1/2 inches in diameter.

Price prepaid, \$1.50 Others, including oblong shapes from 35c. to \$1.50.



No. 1104. Papier-mache Coaster, lacquer finish, nicely decorated in assorted designs; size 4 inches in diameter.

Prices, per doz., prep'd, 50c. 4½ inches, 60c. 5 inches, \$1.20



No. 1105. Dainty Sedji Tray in light green with raised Fujiyama (sacred mountain) design in white, artistically enveloped in hand-woven bamboo of bronze color; size  $8\frac{1}{2}$ x 14 1½ inches. Price prepaid, \$2



1106

No. 1106. Well made tray with heavy lacquer finish, artistically decorated in heavy gilt bird and floral design; size 11½x18 inches.

Price prepaid, each, \$2



No. 1107. Highly Polished Hand carved Wood Tray with Fujiyama (sacred mountain) design; size 15 x 24 inches. Price, prepaid, \$6.50



An effective arrangement of Japanese toweling as applied to dining room decoration. In addition to the green color shown, the designs illustrated may be had in pink and white, brown and white, yellow and white and blue and white.

APANESE Toweling or "Tenugui," as it is known in Japan, is an interesting Oriental fabric of hand-twilled cotton with a linen finish, on which are hand-stencilled patterns of rare and artistic designs. In the Orient it is used for drying the face and hands after ablution, so when lifting a towel to his face the native beholds some fair scene that reminds him either of the beauty of his country, the habits of wild life, or the history of the race from which he sprung.

The American housekeeper, however, ever alert for any distinctive and individual fabric that will increase the attractiveness of her home, immediately realized the possibilities of this quaint Oriental creation, and it is really astonishing what a vogue Japanese Toweling now has.

It is a most fascinating fabric to work with, for somehow it suggests uses to which one would never have dreamed of putting it. Aside from its use in the dining room, as shown in the illustration above, it is also used extensively in bedrooms where its artistic designs lend themselves to the making of bedspreads, upholstery covers, dresser and chiffonier scarfs, couch covers, laundry bags, etc.

Our stock of Japanese Toweling is the largest to be found anywhere, and includes numerous designs and colorings to be had in no other establishment.

Vantine's Japanese Toweling is 12 inches wide, and comes in bolts containing 10 towels or yards with one pattern to each yard. We, therefore, cannot cut small samples, for in so doing would destroy the design, but we shall be pleased to forward a sample towel in any design or quality upon receipt of 10 cents. On the opposite page we illustrate an assortment of designs which are particularly suitable for Spring and Summer.



MAPLE LEAF
14c. yard; \$1.20 bolt



MAPLE BRANCH 12c. yard; \$1.00 bolt



1643 WISTARIA 10c. yard; 90c. bolt



PINE
10c. yard; 90c. bolt



BAMBOO 14c. yard; \$1.20 bolt



BAMBOO 14c. yard; \$1.20 bolt



1679 BAMBOO 14c. yard; \$1.20 bolt



CHERRY BLOSSOM 12c. yard; \$1.00 bolt



1637 WILLOW AND BIRD 14c. yard; \$1.20 bolt



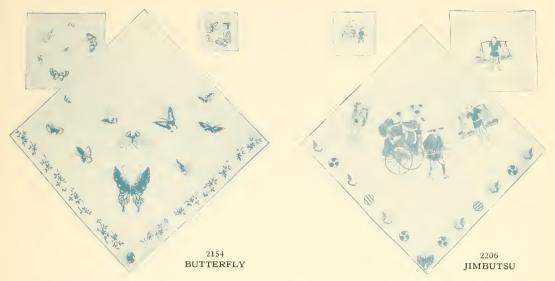
WILD DUCK 12c. yard; \$1.00 bolt



1668
IRIS
10c. yard; 90c. bolt



BAMBOO 10c. yard: 90c. bolt



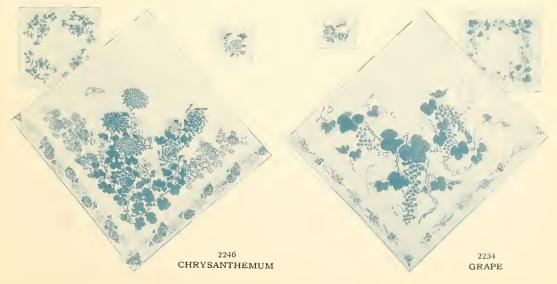
Notwithstanding their inexpensiveness, Vantine's Toweling Table Sets are most effective and particularly appropriate for breakfast room use, especially if the room is in blue and white. They harmonize most pleasingly with the Canton china illustrated on page 25, or the Howo china shown on page 41. For the luncheon table in a mahogany-finished dining room they are also attractive. Each set consists of Table Cover and one dozen 12-inch Doilies.

30x30 inches	48x48 inches Price prepaid 2.25
54x54 inches	Price prepaid, \$2.50

Any of the pieces composing a set may also be purchased separately, as follows:

COVERS	DOILIES
30x30 inches\$ .75	6x 6 inches Per dozen, 35c.
36x36 inches	12x12 inches Per dozen, \$1.00
48x48 inches	18x18 inches Each, 25c.
54x54 inches 2 00	17x54 inches Each. 65c.
17x62 inches	Each, 75c.

For additional designs in which we can supply blue and white Japanese Table Sets see page 10



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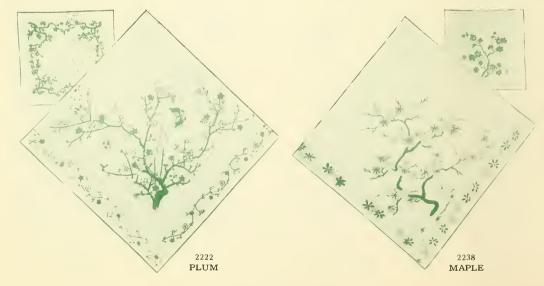
These dainty Table Covers and Doilies are woven and stencilled entirely by hand, and as the colors do not run or fade they are especially suitable for use on the lawn or veranda. They wash perfectly and are particularly effective when used with gold Medallion china ware shown on page 24, or Sedji china ware shown on page 42. Price per set, consisting of Cover and twelve 12-inch Doilies:

30x30 inches	 \$1.65	45x45 inches
36x36 inches.	1.75	54x54 inches

Either Covers or Doilies of sets in this color may also be purchased separately, as follows:

COVERS		DOILIES
36x36 inches	85	12x12 inches Per Dozen, \$1.00 Table Runners to match any of the above sets: 17x54 inches Each, 65c. 17x62 inches Each, 75c.

Any of the sets shown on this page may also be had in brown and white



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No. 7613. Japanese Hand-painted Fine Seto Porcelain Tea Set, landscape and native house design on cream ground, fancy gold border, painted in Kobe, Japan, consists of tea pot, sugar bowl, cream pitcher and six cups and saucers.

Price prepaid, \$7.50

Tea things are your own intimate possessions—to be shared with your intimate friends, to inspire intimate conversations and confidences. The tea set illustrated is a Vantine tea set, and to you who know the name no other word of commendation is necessary.

Each set is carefully packed in an individual box, Japanese fashion, in our studio in Japan, and is forwarded, safe delivery guaranteed, from our store in the same characteristic wrapping. We do not open the boxes nor in any way disturb the contents, and the recipient is assured of receiving the fascinating tea sets packed in the style that only the Orientals know.

When ordered for wedding gifts, etc., the lid of the box will be lifted sufficiently to insert the card of the donor so that the person to whom a set is sent, in reality receives a gift direct from the Orient.

Other tea sets ranging in price from \$2.50 to \$10.00 are beautifully illustrated and fully described in our Tea Set Booklet, a copy of which will be forwarded, postpaid, promptly upon request.



No. 7771. Japanese Hammered Brass Hotwater Kettle, Stand and Alcohol Lamp, etched floral and character design; tea kettle silver lined. Price prepaid, \$3



No. 2446. Silk Kabe Crepe Handpainted Wadded Tea Cosy, assorted floral designs on old blue, pink, old rose, black, red or yellow ground.

Price prepaid, \$1.50

No. 2443. Hand-embroidered Japanese Satin Tea Cosy, silk lined and wadded, floral designs on old blue, pink, old rose, black, red or yellow ground.

Price prepaid, \$3.50



230

No. 230. Chinese Tea Cosy Basket, with gold medallion teapot and two cups; ideal for travelling purposes; size of teapot,  $5x4\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

Price prepaid, \$3.75

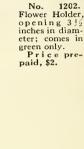


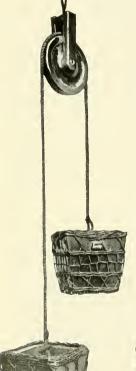
1200

Crescent-shape Kochi No. 1200. Flower Holder, can be had in green Kochi only, with net work and handle of brown bamboo; diameter, 11 bamboo; diameter, 11 Price prepaid, \$1.50



1202. Kochi Horn-shape Flower Holder, 13 inches wide with





This artistic No. 1203. Kochi Flower shows the inventive genius of the Japanese. It imitates the bucket and pulley used for drawing water throughout Japan; may be had in green or yellow. Price prepaid, \$2.50

1203

No. 1201. Cornucopia-shape Kochi Flower Holder, enveloped in net work of wistaria vine. Unique Oriental flower holder that is distinctive and decorative, can be had in yellow and green; prices prepaid, size 9½ inches long, 35c.; 12½ inches, 75c.; 15½ inches, \$1.25

The Kochi of which the articles illustrated on this page are made comes from Akashi, a little village on the shores of the inland sea.



1204

No. 1204. Kochi Flower Dishes for holding flower bulbs etc.; also used as a fern dish; comes in green and yellow. Price prepaid, size 5x5x21/2 inches, 75c.

7x7x212 inches, \$1.50



1205

1205. No. Kochi No. 1205. Kochi
"Spills" or Flower Holders,
designed especially for long
stem flowers; come in
green or yellow; size 6
inches deep, 2½ inches
diameter, 35c.; 9¾ inches deep, 4 inches diameter, \$1; 12 inches deep, 5 inches diam., prep'd, \$1.75



No. 1206. This Kochi Flower Holder is similar to No. 1203, but has round buckets (2½x2½ inches), and no covering of bamboo. It is exceedingly dainty and can be had in green and yellow with pulley of same color

Price prepaid, each, 75c.



Japanese Paper Napkins of fine Japanese fibre paper, printed in well selected designs and colorings. No. 280. Price per hundred, 25c. No. 80. Price per hundred, 20c. (We do not sell less than 100 napkins.)



6327

No. 6327. Japanese Water Flowers or Magic Flowers, made of colored pith in the shape of flowers, temples, grotesques, animals, etc. placed in the water they extend to about ten times their original size: are interesting for children's games and to place in finger bowls.

Price per package, prepaid 15c.



1305

No. 1305. Little Brown Dogs with moving head and wagging tail. An interesting Japanese novelty used extensively for dinner favors, card party prizes, etc. Come in brown, as illustrated, and white with black.

Price per dozen, \$1; each, 10c.



1302

No. 1302. Japanese Scroll or Banner, very effective wall decoration. Our stock includes the latest designs of the best Japanese artists. These scrolls or banners come in beautiful Oriental coloring; size  $9\frac{1}{4}x25$  inches, price each, 10c.; 12x40 inches, price each, 15c.; 16x50 inches, price each, 25c.



1306

No. 1306. Our assortment of Folding Fans for decorative purposes is always complete and is notable for variety and beauty. Beautifully painted by Japanese artists and in bright Oriental colorings. 14-inch stick. Price 25c. Larger sizes with sticks 181/2 inches long, 35c.; 25 inches, 50c.; 36 inches, 75c.



No. 1303. Japanese Geisha Fans with wire rim edge, decorated lacquer stick handles, ornamented with actual hand-colored photographs of Japanese faces, figures, etc., silk tassels to match, come in assorted designs and s Sold in sets of twelve only.

Price per set, \$1



1304

1304. Japanese Metal No. Flower Holders placed in the bottom of dishes to hold flowers upright. Come in shapes of swans, ducks, turtles at 50c. each. In shapes of seals (as illustrated) prepaid 75c.



1307

No. 1307. The Oriental people furnish more comic as well as curious playthings to delight their children than any other nation. By pressing the head of this little dog the mouth opens and the dog barks; made of white flannel with metal collar, bell Price each, 35c. and chain.

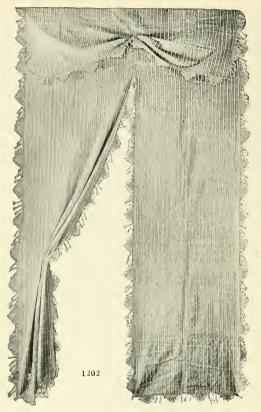


No. 1201. India Print Curtains from Punjab, India, printed by hand with wood blocks which were cut and carved in numerous designs from models for buried in ancient copied vears temples and tombs. A coating of vegetable dye which is warranted to withstand light, and, therefore, fadeless, applied to the surface of the blocks and then transferred to the fabric, resulting in a color combination that is particularly pleasing. India Prints are particularly ap-propriate for summer home curtains, as they are not only unique and artistic, but in-expensive. Come in as-sorted designs and colorings; size 4 x 9 feet.

Price per pair, \$4

India Print Couch Covers, size 6 x 9 feet.

Price each, \$2.75



No. 1202. Anatolia Curtains made of cotton with delicate stripes running vertically; curtains are connected at the top and have pretty white fringe all around; come ready for hanging. Also used extensively for bedspreads in summer homes and curtains in summer cottages. May be had in stripes of blue, red or white on a cream ground; size 5 feet wide by 10 feet long.

Price per pair, prepaid, \$4



1203

1203. Madagascar Curtains in stripes or natural (straw) color (see cushion 1206 below) or plain as above, one of the most distinctive and unique summer curtains we import. Each curtain is 2 feet wide by 9 feet long with natural fringe on both

Price per pair, prepaid, plain, as illustrated, \$2 striped, per pair, \$2.50

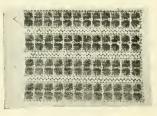


1204

No. 1204. India Print Cushion, filled with silk floss, in a variety of Oriental designs and colorings; size 22 x 22 inches. Price each, \$1

India Print Squares for table covers or cushion covers; size 36 x 36 inches.

Price prepaid, each, 50c.



1205

No. 1205. Beautiful embroidered Bulgarian Scarfs in assorted designs and colorings, used extensively for cushions, covers for the tops of small stands, etc., etc., average size about 14 x 20 inches.

Price each, \$2.50 to \$7.50

Price of scarf illustrated, prepaid,



No. 1206. Madagascar Grass Cloth Cushions may also be had plain (see No. 1203 above) size 22 x 22 inches, especially desirable for summer use, as they are unaffected by moisture; each pillow silk floss filled.

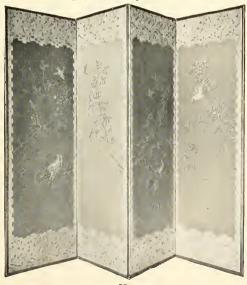
Price, prepaid, each \$1



8256

No. 8256. Four-fold 51/2-foot Japanese Matting Screen, with bamboo design painted in green, back of screen finished in green and white chintz. An ideal screen for Price, packed for shipment, \$5 the summer home.

In addition to those illustrated we have a large assortment of  $4\frac{1}{2}$ -foot, 5-foot and  $5\frac{1}{2}$ -foot screens in a variety of colors and designs, both hand painted and embroidered.



No. 29. Four-fold 51/2-foot Japanese Gold Embroidered Cloth Screen, black ground only. Good wood frame, stained black; design of birds and flowers; fancy chintz border. Price, packed for shipment, \$3.75



8095

No. 8095. Four-fold 5<sup>15</sup>-foot Japanese Cloth Screen, with four reproductions of famous old Japanese woodcut prints on the panels, and hand-painted pine, bamboo, cherry or plum designs on green, blue, pinkish lavender or ecru ground. Cherry lacquer frame. Stencilled cotton back in colors to match front.

Price, packed for shipment, \$8.50



No. 6174. Four-fold  $5\frac{1}{2}$ -foot Japanese Embroidery Satin Panel Screen, with Ho wood carved frame to match design of screen. Back of screen has black land-scape design painted on cotton panels. Assorted peony, wistaria, chrysanthemum, cherry blossom, and iris designs in self tones and natural color embroidery. Colors, tan, brown, gold, light blue and black ground. Price, packed for shipment, \$25



No. 8757. Japanese Metal Wicker One-light Electric Lamp, woven throughout of light brown metal, imitating very closely bamboo; has shade 12 inches wide at bottom and 8 inches wide at top, shade artistically lined in Oriental silk of harmonizing color; extreme height 16½ inches. Price packed for shipment, with silk-covered cord, ready for use, \$9



No. 7664. A very attractive Lamp fitted for one light, with heavy brass filigree shade of conventionalized bamboo design, lined in transparent silk; height 17 inches Price packed for shipment, with silk-covered cord, ready for use, \$6



No. 8760. Hand-woven Wicker Lamp of split bamboo, with shade lined in brocaded Oriental silk; diameter of shade 14 inches; height  $16\frac{1}{2}$  inches, fitted for one electric light. Price packed for shipment, complete with silk-covered cord, ready for use, \$8.25

Vantine's collection of Lamps is the finest and most extensive to be found in this country. Nearly all of our Lamps are made from odd vases, jars, Koros, etc., which were carefully selected from our collection of porcelains and bronzes. Each Lamp has specially designed mounting, so that the lamp complete is in perfect harmony. Vantine's Lamps are not only practical, but are artistically valuable and exclusive—from the small low-priced bedroom lamp to the most magnificent piano, drawing room or banquet lamp.



No. 6917. A most effective Oil Lamp with Kochi bowl and handwoven wicker shade lined with brocaded silk; duplex burner and removable oil fount. With the exception of 8757 and 7664 any of the lamps shown also come with wicker shades in any size or shape listed on our special circular, which is mailed on request. Price complete, \$12



No 6921. A popular Bowl-shape Lamp with base of yellow Kochi enveloped in hand-woven split bamboo covering; has hand-woven bamboo shade 20 inches in diameter, with lining of brocaded Oriental silk in golden yellow; has duplex burner and removable oil fount; height 22 inches. Price complete packed for shipment, \$15.75



No. 6922. Distinctive Oil Lamp with green Kochi vase enveloped in hand-woven coloring of bronze colored bamboo; has hand-woven shade of brown bamboo with lining of brocaded Oriental silk to match; diameter of shade 20 inches; height over all 25 inches. Price packed for shipment, \$13.75

1503



No. 1501. Japanese Table Lantern, fitted for candle, a most artistic Oriental creation for decorating the dinner table; size 1112 inches high, price prepaid, each, \$1. Larger sizes up to \$3.



No. 1502. The deft handicraft applied by the Japanese in weaving bamboo is most charmingly shown in this dainty little Lamp Shade which is one of the most popular Oriental productions we import. It is carefully made of bronze colored bamboo with lining in either green or red paper, and may be fastened to an electric drop light or used as a decoration; size 71/2 inches square.

Price prepaid, each, \$1.50



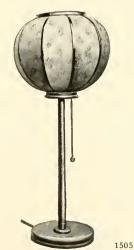
No. 1503. Japanese Table Candle Lantern with lacquer finished frame and removable shade of gauze paper, prettily hand decorated in floral design, has brass wire top; extreme height 16 inches. Price prepaid, \$1. Larger sizes up to \$3.

The Japanese Lacquer Table Lanterns below are fitted by us for electricity and are practical as well as decorative. They are an artistic addition to the interior decorative scheme of any summer home. Electric portables indicate the old Japanese idea of indirect lighting, which has become a popular feature in modern interior lighting schemes. We have constantly on hand a most attractive assortment of artistic lamp shades made from our own imported silks, scarfs, embroideries, etc., and upon request shall promptly quote prices for special designs.



No. 1504. Japanese Lacquer Frame Electric Table Portable with removable silk shade, paper lined, black lacquer finished frame and portable; 24 inches high. Complete with 5-foot silk-covered wire, ready for connection.

Price prepaid, each, \$5.50



No. 1505. Japanese Electric Table Portable with ball shape removable silk shade, paper lined, black lacquer frame and portable. Height inches. Complete with silk cord connecting wire, ready for use.

Price prepaid, each, \$6.50



No. 1506. Japanese Table Portable with inverted bellshape shade and paper lining to increase transparency; frame of shade and portable finished in black lacquer. Height 24 inches. Complete with silk cord ready for use.

Price, \$6.50



No. 8593. Antique Japanese Iron Lantern, ball shape, with geometrical design; size about 10 inches diameter, particularly appropriate for the veranda of the summer home.

Price packed for shipment, \$7.50



No. 1101. Antique Brass Finish Hanging Lantern with all-over open work floral and filigree design, ball shaped, lined with red silk; 12 inches in diameter.

Price packed for shipment, \$15

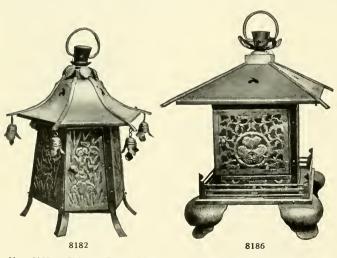


No. 8592. Antique Iron Lantern, similar in finish to No. 8593, when lined with red paper and fitted for electricity makes a very inexpensive and artistic veranda lantern.

Price packed for shipment, \$5

As an artist paints a picture, or a sculptor chisels a statue, so each craftsman in distant Persia, India, China or Japan, works independently. He conceives and carries out his own ideas, giving his individuality full play, which results in specimens of much beauty and value.

In presenting these illustrations of lanterns selected at random from our immense stock, we seek to impress you with the uniqueness of the designs and the fact that but rarely is there more than one specimen of each kind to be obtained.



No. 8182. Chinese Brass Mandarin Lantern used in the homes of the Chinese Mandarins of the better class, has six panels beautifully cut in floral design and lined throughout with transparent silk; used largely for decorative purposes.

Price packed for shipment, \$15

No. 8186. Pagoda-shaped Japanese Brass Lantern with four hammered filigree panels in floral design, with lining of transparent silk; an exceedingly attractive lantern in a characteristic Japanese design; extreme measurements 12 x 12 x 17 inches.

Price packed for shipment, \$18



No. 7656. Japanese Brass Lantern, antique finish, pagoda-shaped top and circular body, conventionalized floral design and silk lining; extreme width 11½ inches; height 14 inches. A unique and distinctive Oriental lantern.

Price packed for shipment, \$20



No. 752. Chinese Hand-carved Teakwood Stand, circular, marble top; height, 19 inches; diameter (top), 16 inches. Finish, red or black.

Price packed for shipment, \$10



No. 702. Chinese Hand-carved Teakwood Stand, octagonal marble top 12½ inches, height 36 inches; finish red or black.

Price packed for shipment, \$18.75



No. 778. Chinese Teakwood Telephone Table or Stand, oblong wooden top 12x16 inches; height 32 inches.

Price packed for shipment, \$7.50

Chinese Hand-carved Blackwood Furniture—commonly known as teakwood—is made from wood which grows in Siam and from there exported to China. The natural color of the wood is similar to mahogany, but in the process of manufacture is changed to a dull black or red.

Upon request, we shall send postpaid our complete Teakwood Furniture Booklet which, in addition to the pieces shown above, illustrates other designs of teakwood tables, stands, chairs, settees, cabinets, etc.



Shirvan Rug, 3 ft. 5 in. x 6 ft. Price \$30



Sarouk Rug, 4x6 ft. Price \$55

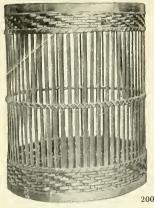


Shiraz Rug, 4 ft. 1 in. x 6 ft. 5 in. Price, \$35

Since 1878, when we first introduced Oriental rugs in this country, Vantine's has been the recognized headquarters for Oriental rugs. To-day we are the largest importers of Oriental rugs in the world, and in no other establishment may be found such an immense assortment of weaves, sizes, designs and color combinations.

We invite inquiries and shall promptly supply full information with photos when possible of any rug in our stock.

## Baskets from Japan



No. 2000. Hand-woven Waste Basket of bronze colored bamboo in openwork design, 12 inches in diameter, 14½ inches high. Price prepaid, \$2. Size 10½ inches diameter, 13½ inches high, \$1.50. Size 9½ inches diameter, 13 inches high, \$1



No. 2001. Barrel shape Handwoven Brown Bamboo Waste Basket with woven ring handle on either size, 10 inches in diameter; 13½ inches high. Price prepaid, \$2



7686

No. 7686. Bamboo Waste Baskets or Flower Holders, removable metal lining. Price prepaid,  $10^1_2 \times 12^1_3$  inches, \$2.50; 9x11 inches, \$2;  $7\frac{1}{2} \times 9\frac{1}{2}$  inches, \$1.50; per set of 3, \$5.50.



No. 7692. Brown Bamboo Sandwich Baskets, used with or without plates.

Small size wan hold an 8 ½-inch plate.

Medium size will hold 9 ½-inch plate.

Large size will hold a 10 ½-inch plate.

Price per set without plate, \$1.75. Price separately without plates, large size 80c.; medium size 70c.; small size 60c. Price with Chinese Green and Gold Medallion Plates (as illustrated), large size \$2.25; medium size \$2; small size \$1.75.



No. 7674. Brown Bamboo Basket Flower Vase, with handles and three feet, metal lined; size 12 inches high. Price prepaid, \$2.50



No. 7687. Brown Split Bamboo Fruit or Sandwich Baskets. Price per set of 3, prepaid, \$3.50

Price per set of 3, prepaid, \$3.50 Price prepaid, separately, large size,  $17 \times 11\frac{1}{2} \times 11$  inches, \$1.75; medium size,  $13\frac{1}{2} \times 9\frac{1}{2} \times 10\frac{1}{2}$  inches, \$1.25; small size,  $11 \times 7\frac{1}{2} \times 9\frac{1}{2}$  inches, \$1



No. 7688. Brown Bamboo Basket Fern Dish, metal lined; size 33/4x10 inches.

Price prepaid, \$1



No. 8148. Brown Bamboo Basket Vase, metal lined, with handle; size 4½ x 4¾ x 10½ inches. Price prepaid, 35c.

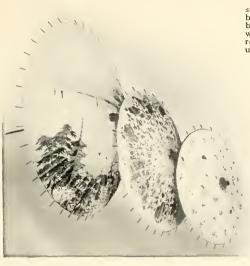


7691

No. 7691. Brown Bamboo Basket Flower Vase, metal lined, solid weave; size 10 x 10½ inches.

Price prepaid, \$1

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8 feet diameter . .

Japanese Parasols with bright colored ornamentations, used to suspend from ceilings, front of fire places, etc., etc. Come in both paper and oil, the latter waterproof. In large sizes may be used for lawn tents as they have jointed handles, part of which may be left permanently in the ground and the umbrella removed at pleasure; decorations consist of birds, flowers and unique Oriental designs on tinted grounds.

24 inch diameter.							 			P	r	ic	e	,	\$	.2
30 inch diameter																.2
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Better Quality																
30 inch diameter															1	.0
36 inch diameter															2	.0

#### UMBRELLAS

Double paper, covered brace, bright floral and figured designs, painted both sides:

6 feet diameter	 	Price, \$1.25
7 feet diameter		
8 feet diameter		2.00
10 feet diameter		3.00
12 feet diameter	 	5.00

Double paper, gold and silver on both sides, with bright floral designs, covered brace.

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## OIL PAPER UMBRELLAS

Price, \$5.00

5 feet diameter	Price, \$ 2.00	8 feet diameter	Price, \$12.50
6 feet diameter	8.00	9 feet diameter	15.00
7 feet diameter	10.00		

The paper lantern (Japanese Chochin) plays an important part in Japan. The houses and verandas are lighted with them at night, and with their help one picks his way afoot or in Jinrikisha on the street. They illuminate the water on the evening boatride; tea houses, theatres and other pleasure resorts are distinguished by rows of variegated paper lanterns, and in the great temple feasts the Chochin are a feature in the parades. Often a whole street, even an entire quarter in the vicinity of the temple is adorned with paper lanterns hanging on bamboo canes, sometimes canopied with large umbrella frame, whose long beams are trimped with white and red paper flawers. Our assortments are pregnated large umbrella frame, whose long beams are trimmed with white and red paper flowers. Our assortments are unequalled for beauty and comprise all varieties.

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Diameter	Length	Shape.	Price	Width	Length	Shape	Price
8 1/2 inch	11 inch	Round.	\$ .50		17 inch.	Oblong	
11 inch	12½ inch	Round	1.00	1216 inch	46 inch	.Oblong .	1.50
	17 inch		1.25	151% inch	30 inch.	Oblong	
	24 inch		2.50	16½ inch	21½ inch	Oblong	
Width	Length	Shape	Price	18 inch	36 inch	Oblong	2.50
616 inch	12 inch	Oblong	.50		40 inch.	Oblong	3.00
812 inch .	14 inch			24 inch	53 inch.	Oblong	5.00



No. 11083. Box of 20 pieces, assorted colors and designs, 6 inch to 12 inch in diameter.

Price per box, prepaid, \$1.25 No. 11085. Box of 20 pieces, assorted colors and degree, 14 inch diameter, 24 inch long.

No. 11085. Box of 40 particles signs, 14 inch diameter, 24 inch long.

Price per box, prepaid, \$4.50

No. 8567. 7 inch diameter, 10 inch long, assorted

Price 5c. each

Price 5c. each

colors and designs. Price 5c. each No. 8566. 9 inch diameter, 101/2 inch long, assorted Price each 8c.

colors and designs.

No. 8565. 11 inch diameter, 14 inch long, assorted

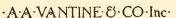
Price each 10c. colors and designs.

In plain, round and oblong shapes, solid colors or red,
pink, yellow and orange, as follows:
71/2 inch diameterPrice each 15c.
10 inch diameter Price each 25c.
12 inch diameter Price each 35c.
In round and oblong, cheaper grade, in red only:
71/2 inch diameter
10 inch diameter
12 inch diameter
Fine Gifu paper, packed 12 in a box, assorted colors
and shapes:
No. 6021. 7 inch diameter, $10\frac{1}{2}$ inch long.
Price per box, \$2.25

No. 6044. 9 inch diameter, 14 inch long. Price per box, 2.50 No. 6045. 10 inch diameter, 15 inch long.

Price per box, 3.75 No. 6047. 11 inch diameter, 17 inch long. Price per box, 4.00







No. 2200. Bagdad Portieres or Couch Covers, principally from Koro Hissai, Asia Minor, 5 feet wide by 9 feet long come in broad stripes of terra cotta, red, old blue, cream and gold with unique hand-embroidered Far Eastern designs.

Price (cotton) prepaid, \$7.50; price (wool), \$15

Vantine's assortment of Couch Covers includes an extensive line in all the popular colorings.

Prices, \$5 to \$25



No. 2201. Basket-shaped Shade lined with green, red, yellow or brown silk; size 14 inches in diameter, \$3; 16 inches, \$3.50; 18 inches, \$4.25; 20 inches, \$5.25; and 22 inches, \$6.50. Woven by hand in the Orient from carefully selected split bamboo, highly finished in rich dark brown bronze color. The prices quoted include all necessary holders for using the shades as intended-for oil or electricity. In ordering, please be sure to state color and size of shade desired. Our Bamboo Lamp Shade circular, illustrating in colors additional designs of these quaint Oriental creations, will be mailed postpaid promptly upon request.

No. 142. Calcutta Water Cooler, made of glass, zinc, and a secret non-conductive material, covered with turkey red cotton. Will keep cracked ice 12 to 15 hours; very essential when cooling beverages are wanted. A unique though practical, Oriental invention. Separate glass containers may be had at 60c. for the 2-quart size. Price, packed for shipment, 2 quart size only, \$2.

Packed for shipment this weighs 6 pounds.



No. 2202. Exquisitely Hand-embroidered Table Mat, 14x18 inches. Made from antique Chinese pieces, no two of which are alike, come in pretty colorings





No. 2343. Japanese Antimony Medal Cut Flower Bowl and Wood Stand, with metal net cover, thru which the stems of flowers are inserted to a perforated piece of metal, which holds them in the water, white silver finish, embossed hibiscus design; size 3<sup>3</sup>4,x4<sup>4</sup>4 inches. Price prepaid, \$2.50



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ANTINE'S Canton furniture, which includes chairs, tables and stools, is made in Canton, China, where every piece is carefully woven by hand under the direct supervision of the Vantine representatives in the Orient. Only the finest quality of split rattan is used and to make sure that every piece is perfect, all chairs, tables and stools are carefully inspected by an expert weaver before an order is shipped from our stores.

¶ Whether in the home, on the veranda, or on the lawn, these unique and artistic Oriental creations fulfill every requirement for beauty, comfort and utility. They are particularly adapted for summer use, being unaffected by the elements, in fact, benefited when occasionally left in the rain, and having no legs to sink into the earth, the "hour-glass" chairs may be placed on the lawn without fear of injuring the grass.



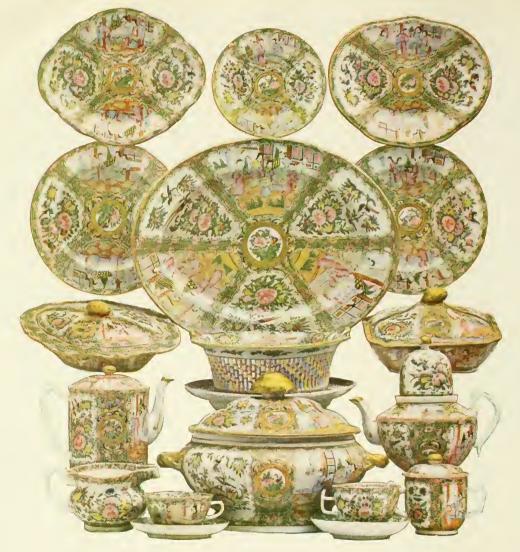
Chair No. 15—Price packed for shipment ... \$4.50



¶ In addition to the two designs shown on this page, we can furnish these popular chairs in eight other styles—including sizes for children—all of which are illustrated and described in a beautiful booklet, entitled "Comfortable Summer Furniture," a copy of which we will mail postpaid promptly upon request.



Chair No. 18 — Price packed for shipment. . . . . . \$5.00



## Gold Medallion China

ONG before the Orient opened its doors to Western trading, Gold Medallion China — "The aristocrat of the chinaware world"—was the pride of the American house-wife.

Then as now it represented all that was best in chinaware and fortunate, indeed, was the woman who could point to a limited collection of it.

The Gold Medallion China imported by us is manufactured in exactly the same manner as that brought home by the Far Eastern traders of early Colonial days, and its exquisite colorings and artistic designs are more popular to-day than ever.

¶ For the hostess who seeks Chinaware of distinctiveness and individuality, there is nothing that can compare with Gold Medallion, and being an "open pattern," you may buy an entire set or only a few pieces and add to these from time to time until your set is complete.

• Because of its artistic decorative appearance and serviceability it is particularly appropriate for wedding gifts, and as our stock always includes a large supply of all pieces, the recipient is afforded the pleasure of collecting additional pieces from time to time, as needed.



## Canton China

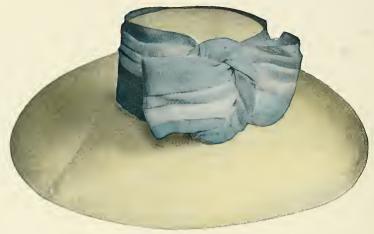
VERYBODY knows Canton China—the always popular "willow" pattern—with its pagodas, bridges, streams, boats, little figures of men and women, and the love birds. A quaint legend has it that the story depicted on the china tells how a mandarin had an only daughter, Li-Chi, who fell in love with her father's secretary, Chang.

The mandarin forbade the match, so the lovers eloped, hiding for a time in a gardener's cottage, until at last they attempted to make their escape to an island which was Chang's home. The mandarin pursued them, whip in hand and would have killed them had not the gods come to the rescue and changed the two into a pair of turtle doves.

¶ In the design will be seen the mandarin's house with a fence round it, the gardener's cottage, a bridge over which the mandarin ran after his daughter, who, with a staff in hand, was accompanied by Chang. Above are the turtle doves, and beyond is a boat crossing to the island. At the time of the elopement the willow was shedding its leaves, hence the name of the design.

¶ For over half a century Vantine's has been the headquarters in this country for Canton China, and in no other establishment in the United States may be found such a complete assortment as we always carry in stock.

## Panama Hats



MODEL No. 909.—As shown with others in our Panama hat booklet. Trimmed with Vantine's Oriental chiffon scarf, in all the season's most fashionable colors. Price (scarf only) \$4.50

ANTINE'S imported Panama hats for women are hand woven by expert native weavers, under the peculiar atmospheric conditions necessary for the production of the finest Panamas. They are of an exceedingly fine quality, beautifully finished, and the equal of Panamas always sold at \$10 and \$15.

¶ Each hat is tightly and smoothly woven of Panama, with brim about 20 inches wide (from edge to edge), crown about  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches high, and head size about  $8\frac{1}{2}$  inches (diameter). For those



This Panama Hat booklet sent free upon request

who prefer a small hat, we have imported a shape the brim of which is 15 inches. In ordering please state whether the large or small shape is desired.

• These hats are in the same condition as we receive them from native weavers, and may be blocked, shaped and trimmed to suit your fancy. For \$1.00 extra we will have the hat you purchase blocked in any of the shapes shown in our Panama Hat Booklet, a copy of which we shall mail postpaid promptly upon request. In the booklet referred to we also illustrate in natural colors, the stylish effects to be obtained by trimming the Vantine Panama with a Bulgarian scarf, a piece of Chinese Brocade or one of the numerous other Oriental fabrics which we can furnish at prices that



'As flexible as

will enable you to be the proud possessor of a stylish and practical summer hat at a very moderate price.



Vantine's Unblocked Panama Hat, in large or small shapes, price prepaid . . . . \$5.00



Vantine's Blocked Panama Hat, which may be had in four of the season's most fashionable shapes, price prepaid . . . . . . \$6.00



No. 2700, \$10

No. 2701, \$3.50

No. 2702, \$18

No. 2703, \$15

For the woman who seeks a dainty and comfortable garment to be worn in the seclusion of the bouldoir, there is nothing to equal a Japanese kimono. In Japan the figure is never compressed into corsets or tightly fitting clothes, and the kimono was evolved centuries ago as the proper dress for women.

From the very birth-place of these dainty and utilitarian garments, come the selections which comprise the Vantine kimono selection, included in which are the following:

Artistically designed Japanese Habutai Silk Kimono, embroidered in cherry blossom or wistaria designs, in all colors. Price, including sash, \$10

No. 2701. Japanese Crepe Kimono, printed in stork, dragon and floral designs, carefully made on the same model as our silk kimonos.

Price, including sash, \$3.50

No. 2702. Japanese Habutai Silk Kimono in delicate shades of light blue, pink, lavender, and old rose, hand embroidered in cherry blossom design.

Price, including sash, \$18

Other models at \$22.50, \$25 and \$30

No. 2703. Japanese Habutai Silk Kimono, artistically embroidered in chrysanthemum design in light blue, pink, old rose, navy, black and old blue.

Price, including sash, \$15





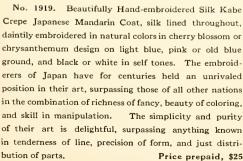
No. 2457. This delightfully cool hand-embroidered Japanese Kimono is made of washable cotton crepe, the threads of which are twisted by Japanese girls to produce the "crepy effect" at present so popular in women's negligee garments. The feature of this fabric is that it requires no ironing, and the oftener it is washed the softer it becomes. This kimono comes in pink, light blue, old blue or lavender, prettily embroidered in white, wistaria, cherry blossom or chrysanthemum design.

Price prepaid, \$6.50

No. 1379. Japanese habutai Silk Pullman Kimono and Sash, silk lined, with dainty silk case to match in which the kimono may be compactly folded and conveniently carried in traveling bag (for Slippers especially designed for traveling, see No. 3604, page 36); collar and sleeves daintily embroidered in pretty floral designs: may be had in old blue, pink, light blue, old rose, lavender, black, navy and gray.

Price prepaid, each, \$12

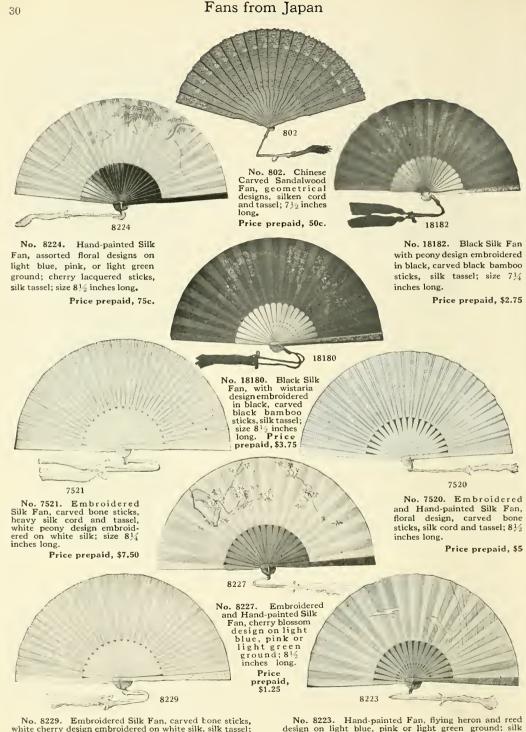






No. 2161. Prettily Hand-embroidered Silk Kabe Crepe Japanese Mandarin Coat, silk lined; may be had in wistaria, cherry blossom and rose design embroidered in natural colors on light blue, pink, old blue or lavender ground. A dainty Oriental creation that is of light weight and particularly suited for summer wear. The Vantine assortment of Mandarin Coats includes many inexpensive garments which embody all the graceful and artistic lines of our highest priced importations—all with the beauty and exquisite daintiness that characterize quaint creations of the Flowery Kingdom.

Price prepaid, \$12



white cherry design embroidered on white silk, silk tassel; size 81/2 inches. Price prepaid, \$2.25

design on light blue, pink or light green ground; silk tassel; size 8 1/4 inches. Price prepaid, 75c.



No. 8162. Hand-painted Silk Open Fan, lacquered handle, silk tassel, assorted floral designs on white ground; size  $7\frac{3}{4} \times 13\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

Price prepaid, 25c.



No. 8234. Hand-painted Silk Folding Fan, carved bamboo outside, silk tassel, butterfly design in colors on light blue, pink or white ground; size 9 inches. Price prepaid, \$1



No. 8163. Embroidered and Hand-painted Silk Open Fan, assorted floral designs in natural colors on white ground; size 73/4

x 14½ inches.

Price prepaid, 50c.



No. 18177. Embroidered All Black Silk Folding Fan, black silk embroidery, black bamboo sticks, hand carved, cord and tassel; size 9½ inches. Price prepaid, \$6.50



No. 12062. Hand-painted Silk Folding Fan, sandalwood sticks, hand carved, landscape design; size 8 14 inches. Price prepaid, \$3



No. 8231. Child's Handpainted Silk Fan, sandalwood sticks, assorted floral designs on light blue, pink or white ground. Price prepaid, 75c.



No. 12110. Hand-painted Silk Fan, carved sandalwood sticks, silk tassel; size 9 inches. Price prepaid, \$3.50 No. 8226. Hand-painted Silk Folding Fan, famons Japanese scenic designs on white ground, black lacquered sticks; size 8½ inches.

8226

Price prepaid, \$1.50



No. 8230. Child's Hand painted Silk Fan, carved bamboo sticks, assorted floral designs on light blue, pink or white ground.

Price prepaid, 35c.

Illustrations show exact size



No. 14785. Fine quality genuine Clear Amber Necklace, screw fastening; length 17 inches. Price prepaid, \$2



No. 14886. Fine quality genuine Clear Amber Necklace, screw fastening; length 17 inches. Price prepaid, \$4.50



No. 14808. Fine quality genuine Clear Amber Necklace, screw fastening; length 17 inches. Price prepaid, \$5



No. 14704. Genuine Clouded Amber Necklace of specially selected graduated beads, screw fastening; length 24 inches.

Price prepaid, \$10



No. 10711. Genuine Jade Necklace of beautifully matched beads, solid gold fastening of special design set with jade.

Price prepaid, each, \$175. (Others up to \$300 each)

(No 14785. Genuine Japanese White Coral Necklace, naturally tinted with pretty shade of pink, in the same size as Jade Necklace No. 10711. Price prepaid, \$5)



No. 14802. Genuine Japanese White Coral Necklace, naturally tinted with pretty shade of pink, graduated beads, gold fastening; length 24 inches.

Price prepaid, \$8.50



No. 14983. Genuine Japanese White Coral Necklace, naturally tinted with pretty shade of pink, graduated beads, gold fastening; length 24 inches.

Price prepaid, \$10



No. 14687. Genuine Japanese White Coral Necklace, naturally tinted with pretty shade of pink, graduated beads, gold fastening; length 24 inches.

Price prepaid, \$14

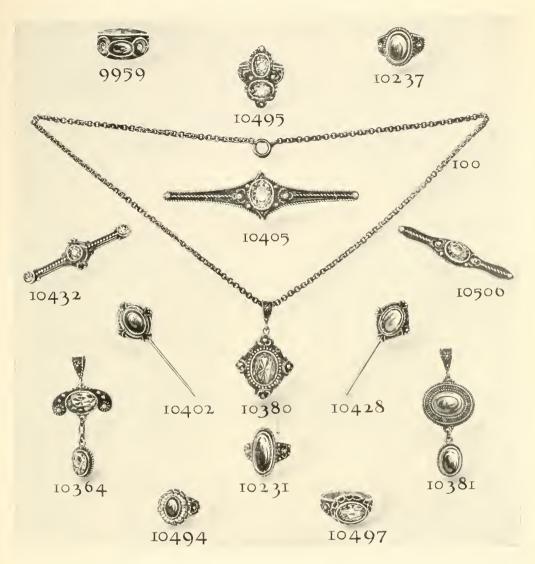
To be smartly gowned nowadays, jewelry must have a decorative as well as an intrinsic value, and with the Oriental tendency in dress so predominant, it is not surprising that Oriental beads are such an important accessory to the gown of the well dressed woman.

The Vantine collection of precious and semi-precious Oriental stones is probably the largest to be found outside of the Orient, and includes an almost unlimited selection of the popular Jade, Amber and Coral which are at present being worn so extensively.

Genuine Jade comes from the Koulkun Mountains in West China, where it is found in the rocky beds of flowing streams. It is held in such high esteem and is so sacredly revered by the Chinese, that practically every native of China wears a piece of Jade as an amulet to guard from violent harm.

The great value set upon Amber, which at one time was more valuable than gold, is seen in the care with which objects of this material were interred with their possessors in the burial-mounds of very early date. According to the Greek legend the sisters of Phaeton, mourning and weeping at his unhappy end, attracted the pity of the gods, who mercifully changed them into trees, and their tears, still flowing, became Amber.

Coral, which we import from the Orient. is the hard skeletons of various marine organisms, and from remote times has been highly prized for jewelry and for articles of personal ornamentation. It is found on the bottom of the ocean, from where it is gathered by coral fishermen.



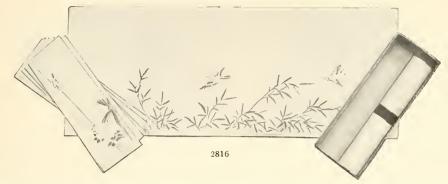
The jewel craft of Vantine's is something apart—entirely different—from the ordinary jewelry of domestic manufacture. The clever conceptions cannot be had in any other establishment, and they solicit the particular attention of those in search of the curious, the quaint and the beautiful in jewel work. Among the moderately priced pieces are those shown above, which are in hand-made Turkish design of oxidized sterling silver, set with semi-precious stones, everyone of which is genuine. Any design shown may be had with setting of amethyst, topaz, lapis lazuli, carnelian, moonstone, turquoise, matrix and moss agate.

(1n ordering please state stone preferred and when selecting rings give size of finger.)

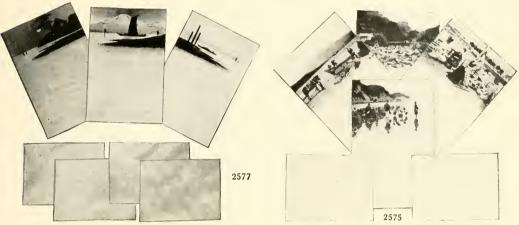
#### ORIENTAL HAND-MADE JEWELRY IN SOLID SILVER, OXIDIZED FINISH, SET WITH REAL STONES

10495—2-Stone Amethyst Ring       3.00         10237—Amethyst Ring       1.75         10432—Lapis Lazuli Bar Pin, 1½ inches long       2.00         10405—Amethyst Bar Pin       2.00         10380—Amethyst Pendant and 16-inch Chain       3.00         Without Chain       2.00	10364—Topaz Pendant, \$2.00; with 16-in. Neck Chain       3.00         10381—Amethyst Pendant, \$2.00; with 16-in. Chain       3.00         10494—Amethyst Ring, Oriental Seed Pearls       3.00         100—16-inch Neck Chain       1.00         10231—Lapis Ring       1.75
10402—Lapis Lazuli Scarf Pin. 1.50	10497—Amethyst Ring





No. 2816. Japanese Color Printed Writing Paper and Envelopes. In real Japanese style and size, two rolls each containing six sheets size 7x18 inches, and twelve envelopes size  $2\frac{1}{4}x7\frac{1}{2}$  inches. Packed in an attractive Japanese box. Price prepaid, 50c.



No. 2577. Japanese Fancy Wood-shaving Writing Paper, lacquer hand-painted landscape design, assorted, twelve sheets of paper, twelve envelopes with Japanese crest. Packed in a pretty wood shaving-covered box; size  $4\frac{3}{4}$ x7½ inches.

Price prepaid, 50c.

No. 2575. Japanese Writing Paper. Colortype landscape designs, twelve sheets of paper and twelve envelopes with Japanese crest on envelopes. Price prepaid, 35c.



4900

No. 4900. Japanese Hand-colored Photo Post Cards, representing famous views, street scenes, temples and daily life of the Japanese.

Price per dozen, prepaid, 25c.



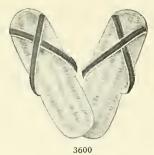
No. 2641. Japanese Fancy Place Cards. Reproductions in color of famous old prints, landscape designs; size 2½x3¾ inches.

Price per doz., prep'd, 50c.



No. 3900. Chinese Water Color Stencil Set, consisting of two Chinese brushes, twelve assorted stencils in floral designs and twelve water colors.

Price per set, prepaid, 35c.



No. 3600. Japanese Straw Sandals, woven by hand of Japanese rice straw. The sole is held securely to the foot by cotton-covered cloth straps that run over the top of the fore part of the foot. Excellent for lounge, beach or bathroom wear; in all sizes. (In ordering give length of Price prepaid, 50c. foot.)



3601

No. 3601. Japanese Straw Sandals, made the same as those described under No. 3600, but with velvet straps and with soles of first quality rice straw, reinforced with extra binding to insure long wear; all sizes. (In ordering give length of foot.)

Price prepaid, \$1



No. 3602. Chinese Flat Straw Bath Slippers for men and women, made of fine Chinese rice straw, with handwoven sole and vamp; unique though practical slippers that are cool and comfortable. (In ordering please give length of foot.)

Price prepaid, 25c.



3604

No. 3604. These delightful Turkish Traveling Slippers are similar to No. 3603, but are hand-sewn inside and out. Come folded compactly in small leather case, which can be conveniently carried in ladies' hand bag. A most popular addition to Kimono No. 1379; comes in black, pink, lavender, red, blue and navy; sizes from 3 to 61/2.

Price prepaid, \$2.50



3603

No. 3603. Women's Hand-made Turkish Slippers from Constantinople, of Turkish leather, with hand-turned soles, prettily embroidered on vamp in tinseled designs, and fluffy silk pompon; colors, black, pink, blue, lavender, red and brown. (In ordering please give length of foot.)

Size 7, Price prepaid, 75c. Sizes 1 to 6, Price prepaid, 50c.



2673

No. 2673. Hand-embroidered Japanese Silk Boudoir Sandals for women, in pink, lavender, light blue, old blue, red, black, and white; in all sizes. (In ordering give the size of the shoe worn.) Price postpaid, 75c.



259

No. 259. Embroidered Brocaded Silk Chinese Shoes, floral designs in natural colors on light blue, pink, lavender, yellow, red or black ground, leather sole. (In ordering give size of shoe worn.) Price prepaid, \$2.50



No. 3700. Japanese White Linen Parasols, with pretty hand-embroidered floral designs. Bone ferrule and tip, hand-carved wood handle, silk cord and tassel; made specially to our order in the latest and most popular designs.

Price prepaid, \$5

No. 3702. Cotton Crepe Parasols in various designs and colorings. Price prepaid, each, \$3.50



No. 3701. Ladies' Parasols of Japanese hand-stencilled Habutai silk, white ground with various designs in pink, light blue, and lavender; ferrule and tips of bone; natural wood handle, carved; silk tassel.

Price prepaid, \$5

No. 3703. Cotton Crepe Hand Bags in numerous floral designs and colorings. Price each, 75c.

The individuality and distinctiveness of the Oriental Store's creations were never more clearly reflected than in the Parasols illustrated above, which originated with, and are confined exclusively to, Vantine's. Made in the latest and most popular designs from Oriental silk, linen and Japanese crepe imported direct from the Orient. May be had in almost any color combination, and as no two are alike, the purchaser is assured of an exclusive design. In ordering please state color preferred.



2073. Japane

No. 2073. Japanese Embroidered Kabe Silk Opera Bag, colors and designs match Mandarin Coat No. 2661; silk lined, silk draw-cord; cherry, wistaria and chrysanthemum designs on old rose, old blue, pink, light blue or lavender ground; size 8x9 inches.

Special, price prepaid, \$1



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No. **3602**. Ladies' Beautiful Handembroidered Hand Bag with imitation jade handles and silk tassels (which are not shown in illustration) on each side; size 12x15 inches.

> Price prepaid, each, \$7.50 Others at \$10 and \$15 each



1681

No. 1681. White Washable Lace Draw Bag, silk draw-cord, lined with white linen so arranged that it can be easily removed and colored silk substituted; size 834x101½ inches.

Price prepaid, \$1.25

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# Scarfs, Shawls, Purses, Etc.



No. 3800. The famous Vantine Scarf, 45x45 inches, of washable Japanese silk; comes in light blue, pink, nile green, peach. gray, navy, red and black. Packed in hand-painted crepe boxes.

Price prepaid, \$1.50



3801

No. 3801. Beautiful Hand-embroidered Canton Scarf with all over design; size 24x90 inches, with heavy double silk fringe 9 inches long on each end. Price prepaid, \$16.50 Others at \$15 to \$30

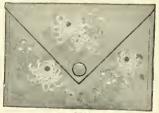


No. 3802. Vantine Oriental Silk Auto Veil, made of genuine hand-loom Japanese silk. Comes in white, light blue, pink, navy, brown, gray and black; 27 inches wide by 23/4 yards long.

Price prepaid, each, \$2.50



No. 35695. Gray Leather Coin Purse, hand-painted landscape designs in gray tones; snap catch; size 23 x 234 inches. Price prepaid, 50c.



2437

No. 2437. Hand-painted Silk Kabe Crepe Card Case, assorted floral designs, assorted colors; two compartments; size 231x4 inches.

Price prepaid, 50c.



35693

No. 35693. Japanese Frogskin Coin Purse, leather lined, snap catch; size 21/4 x23/4 inches.

Price prepaid, 50c.



No. 8180. Japanese Brocaded and Fancy Cloth Purse, with leather lining and two compartments; size 33/8x41/2 inches. Price prepaid, 50c.



No. 2078. Japanese Embroidered Card Case, assorted designs. Colors, brown, maroon and old blue; size 23/4 x33/4 inches. Price prepaid, 75c.



35625

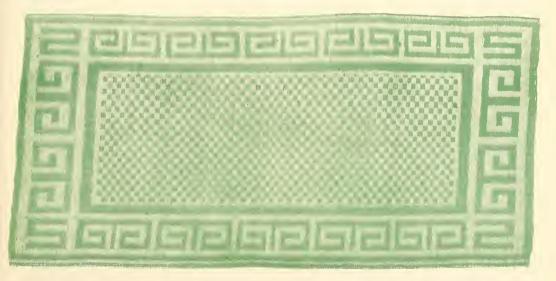
No. 35625. Brown Leather Purse, embossed Japanese dancing figure design, two compartments, snap catch; size 23/8x41/4 in. Price prepaid, 75c.

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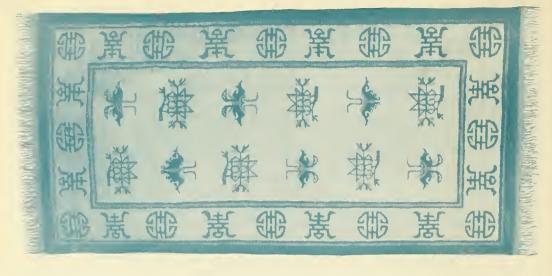
Japanese Jute Rugs made of flax-like fibre, imported into Japan from India. In designs originated by and confined exclusively to Vantine's. A very durable summer rug that is exceedingly moderate in price. Prices, packed for shipment:

2 feet 6 inches x 5 feet	7 feet 6 inches x 10 feet 6 inches
3x6 feet	8x10 feet
6x9 feet\$8, \$11, \$17	9x12 feet\$16, \$22, \$35



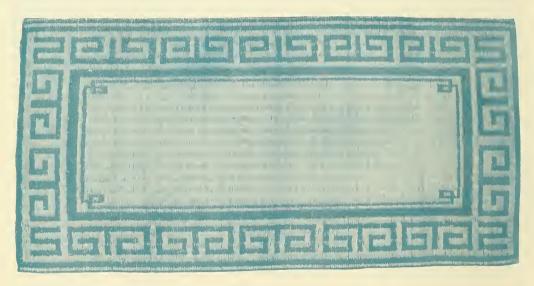
Kee Chong Rugs—exclusively Vantine's—are woven of marsh grass by native Chinese in the Tungkoon district, China. The grass is cultivated for this purpose in low wet lands, which gives it a tough strength without harshness. Water—either rain or seawater—only adds to their strength and durability, and freshens their delightful summery colorings. Come in green, blue and brown with checked centers and tassellated Oriental border, as illustrated on this page, and in plain center, as illustrated on page 40. Price, packed for shipment:

3x6 feet	 	\$2.50	4x12 feet	
				7.00
				10.50
4x8 feet	 	4.50	9x12 feet	15.00



Tien-Tsin Blue and White Thibet Wool Rugs, with quaint Oriental designs in a delightful tone of Chinese blue on cream-white background. Artistic floor coverings for the summer cottage that harmonize most pleasantly with any scheme of interior decoration.

Prices packed for shipment:		8x10 feet	\$ 90
3x6 feet	\$20	9x12 feet	120
4x8 feet	32	10x14 feet	160
6x9 feet	60	12x15 feet	200



Kee Chong Rug in plain center, with tassellated border. A distinctive and individual rug for porch or the parlor of the summer cottage. In addition to the color shown, can be had in green, as illustrated on preceding page. For prices and dimensions see page 39.

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"Howo" Chinaware is Japanese ware, pleasing in design and very serviceable. Ever since Chinaware has been known, its dainty color scheme of blue and white has been much admired. By applications of modern science it has been made particularly strong and durable, and is therefore suited to everyday use.

It is said, when the "Howo" bird descended from Heaven, there appeared a Wise Man who ruled the country so peacefully that the peasants enjoyed abundant harvests, which spread happiness throughout the land, filling the hearts of all the Japanese people with joy and gladness.

In Japan this design is generally called "Howo Moyo"; this is combined with "Kiku" or "Chrysanthemum," which is the Queen of Flowers and the Emperor's Crest or Coat of Arms, and representative of the Japanese nation. It is of ancient, historic origin and very unique.

Prices packed for shipment: Teapot Extra Large Teapot Sugar and Cream Ovide Tea Cup and Saucer. Large Ovide Coffee Cup and Saucer. After Dinner Cup and Saucer. Covered Bullion Cup and Saucer. 6-inch Bread and Butter Plate. 7½ inch Tea Plate 8½-inch Dinner Plate Coupe Soup Plate. 5½-inch Oatmeal Saucer. 8½-inch Deep Bowl	\$ .75 1.25 .75 .15 .35 .10 .35 .10 .25 .35 .50	Mayonnaise Bowl Mayonnaise Spoon 6-inch Teapot Tile Egg Cup (double) 7%4-inch Oval Platters 12 ½-inch Oval Platters 12 ½-inch Oval Platters 7-inch Covered Casserole 9%4-inch Covered Casserole 10 ½-inch Covered Vegetable 10 ½-inch Covered Vegetable 10 ½-inch Baking Dish 10 ½-inch Baking Dish 10 ½-inch Baking Dish	Dish e Dish	\$.35 .15 .15 .15 .50 1.00 1.50 .75 2.00 .25 .50

Hand-embroidered Chinese Grass Linen Table Sets, wistaria design. Colors, white embroidered on white ground (No. 258) or shaded Chinese blue embroidered on white ground. Set consists of one 28-inch cover, twelve 6-inch doilies, welve 10-inch doilies.

Price complete set, prepaid, \$16.50

Also sold separately.

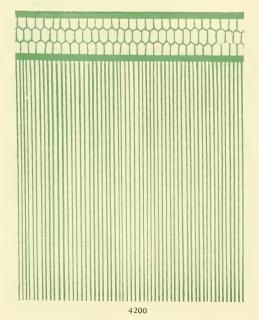
No. 262. 6-inch Doilies. Price prepaid, dozen, \$6.00 No. 259. 12-inch Doilies. Price prepaid, dozen, \$10.80 No. 261. 10-inch Doilies. Price prepaid, dozen, 9.00 No. 260. 28-inch Table Cover. Price prepaid, each, 4.50



Sedjiware is, as illustrated, Japanese china of a delightful shade of green and closely resembles ancient China "Celandon," or color of the sea from which it takes its name. This ware is held in the highest esteem by the Japanese people who are experts in the selection of artistic porcelains. The shapes, beautiful in their simplicity, are covered with a satiny glaze that is blown on a pure white body, resulting in a dainty table service that is both distinctive and moderate priced.

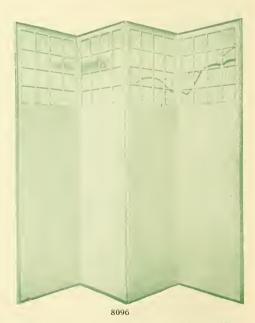
### Prices packed for shipment:

\$ .75	7¼-inch Coupe Soup Plate	\$ .35
1.25	5¾-inch Oatmeal Saucer	.20
	8½-inch Deep Bowl	.75
.25	Mayonnaise Bowl	.35
.35	Mayonnaise Spoon	.15
.35	6-inch Teapot Tile	.25
.20	3½-inch Egg Cup (double)	.20
.35	1214-inch Oval Platters	1.25
.20	13½-inch Oval Platters	1.50
.25	7-inch Covered Casserole	1.00
	10-inch Covered Casserole	2.25
.75	714-inch Covered Vegetable Dish	.75
	.75 .25 .35 .35 .20 .35 .20 .25	1.25       5¾-inch Oatmeal Saucer.         .75       8½-inch Deep Bowl.         .25       Mayonnaise Bowl.         .35       Mayonnaise Spoon.         .35       6-inch Teapot Tile.         .20       3½-inch Egg Cup (double).         .35       12¼-inch Oval Platters.         .20       13½-inch Oval Platters.         .25       7-inch Covered Casserole.         .50       10-inch Covered Casserole.



No. 4200. Attractive Japanese Portiere made entirely of bamboo, strung on cord in plain colors of red, light and dark green, indigo and natural color, used largely for hanging in windows and between doors, serving as a screen or curtain and still admitting the air. Each curtain  $3 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \times 8$  feet.

Price prepaid, \$1.50



No. 8096. Four-fold 5½-foot Japanese Cotton Kinen Ori Screen, with hand-painted Habutai silk and wood "Shoji" panel at top of each fold. Designs, weeping cherry with birds, cherry blossoms with birds, and landscape and flowers. Natural color wood frame for both screen and Shoji. Colors, light blue, ecru and light green.

Price packed for shipment, \$12.50



No. 7736. Japanese Brass Koro or Incense Burner, base decorated in raised fish and wave design; top finished in conventionalized lotus leaf decoration; size 4x5 inches.

Price prepaid, each, \$1.25



360

No. 360. Vantine's Famous Temple Incense. A most efficient deodorizer; diffuses a dreamy fragrance most pleasing to the senses The same aromatic production which has been used for ages in Far Eastern temples. In Oriental boxes weighing 4 oz. 50c.; 8 oz. 90c. Postage extra.



No. 4301. Chinese Joss Sticks, used in China to burn in the temple; when lighted diffuse a delightful Oriental odor which is particularly disagreeable to mosquitoes.

Price per package, containing ten envelopes, 10c.



7200

No. 7200. Japanese Dinner Gong, for dinner calls or decorative purposes, made of fine Japanese bronze metal, decorated in various designs, rich and deep in tone Set of three complete with striker.

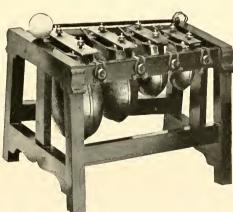
Price prepaid, \$1



4302

No. 4302. The Japanese are wonderful imitators, and their skill is displayed to no better advantage than in these natural colored imitation apples made of silk and wonderfully hand-colored. Effective decorations for the sideboard, table, and also used as pin cushions.

Price each, 25c.



4303

No. 4303. Resonating Dinner Gongs, consisting of a bar of special alloy metal mounted over the mouth of a large chamber, graduating in size to smaller chambers; of brass with well made cherrywood stand.

Price packed for shipment, with tapper, \$22.50, \$30, \$35 and \$45



No. 7201. Japanese Wind-bell of vari-colored glass, suspended from wire canopy. When swayed by breezes produces tinkling sound.

Price 20c. to 75c. Price (as illustrated) prepaid, 50c.



No. 4400. Men's Pajamas of handloom Oriental silk or Chinese pongee, very soft and durable; well made throughout. In ordering please state color and size (chest measure.)

> Silk, price prepaid, \$12 Pongee, price prepaid, 10



No. 173. Vantine's Natural Color Pongee or Black Habutai Silk Office or House Coat. Excellently made and finished throughout. Sizes up to and including 42-inch chest measure.

Price prepaid, \$7.00
Size 44 and larger Price prep'd. 7.50



No. 171. Vantine's Four-in-hand Scarf with patented neckband, designed to permit easy adjustment with folding collar. In any color desired. Price prepaid, \$1



No. 34965. Japanese Lacquered Ash Receiver. Heavy nickel top with revolving disk that automatically drops ashes into a removable tin receptacle; size 33/x33%.

Price prepaid, \$1



5511

No. 5511. Vantine's Sirdar Egyptian Cigarettes, straw, cork, gold or plain tip.

Price per box of ten, 25c.; box of fifty, \$1.15; box of one hundred, \$2.25. Ladies' size, plain, box of ten, price, 20c.



No. 35421. Japanese Cigarette Box. Press the spring and the stork dives down into the box and automatically picks up a cigarette; size 5½ x4½x2¾ inches. Price prepaid, \$2.75



No. 2229. Antimony Metal Cedarlined Cigar Box, heavy embossed dragon and bamboo design; size  $5\frac{1}{2}x$  $5\frac{1}{2}x^2$  inches. Price prepaid, \$2.75



No. 176. Men's Turkish Leather Slippers, leather lined, soft and pliable. Colors, red, brown, and black; sizes  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to 11. Price prepaid, \$1.25



No. 3043. Japanese Embossed Leather Tobacco Pouch, assorted landscape designs. Colors, black and brown; size 4½x3½.

Price prepaid, \$1.50

The extensive line of Vantine delicacies and Eastern condiments is too well known to need an introduction here. It is continually being added to with something unique and will always be found of deepest interest to the lovers of tempting morsels from the East. (We do not prepay the transportation on articles on this page or on those on page 46.)

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TEAS		CHINESE GINGER (Preserved)	¢ 95
ORANGE PEKOE A favorite afternoon tea, delicate and fragrant		CHINESE GINGER (Preserved) In pots, whole pots, \$1.00; ½s, .55; ¾s.  Extra Large Blue Jars Stem, selected pieces, in glass, .45; ½s.	2.00
	.30	Stem, selected pieces, in glass, .45; ½s	.75
1 lb. tins	.50	CHINESE CHOW CHOW Eight kinds of Chinese Fruit	
In an attractive caddy or tabourette	.00	Glass iars, in syrup	.60
ENGLISH BREAKFAST		Glass jars, in syrup .35 Glass jars, in cognac .50 Our own packing	.80
No. 1         1 lb.           No. 3         12 lb. 40; 1 lb.           No. 4         12 lb. 50; 1 lb. 1.           No. 5         1/2 lb. 75; 1 lb. 1.	.40		
No. 4	.00	DATES Sugared and stuffed box	.25
No. 5	.50	Sugared and stuffed, box	.35
FORMOSA OOLONG (Black)		Stuffed, packed in fancy Japanese box.	.35
No. 10	.40 .75	PRUNES	
No. 13 12 lb50; 1 lb. 1.	.00	Wiesbaden (stuffed), per box	.50 .50
No. 16	.00	CHERRIES	
MANDADAN COLONO		Stuffed with pinon nuts, per box	.30
MANDARIN OOLONG  14 lb. \$1.50	.00	FIGS	
Attractive double covered lacquered tins, filled w	ith	Stuffed with nuts, plain box	.40
Orange Pekoe or other teas of same grade. S-S.50 M-S.90 L-S 1.	.50	Stuffed with nuts, Japanese box. A. A. V. & Co.'s in Baskets	.50 .30
CHINA (Green) - Young Hyson			
No. 21	.00	RAISINS Stuffed with figs and chopped nuts	.40
No. 21 1.5 lb50; 1 lb. 1. No. 22 Gunpowder 1.5 lb50; 1 lb. 1.	.00		
UNCOLORED JAPAN		JELLIES Guaya 1, 1b, box	10
No. 25 No. 27	.40 .75	Guava, 1 <sub>2</sub> lb. box	.20
No. 25 1 lb. No. 27 1 2 lb. 40; 1 lb. No. 28 1 2 lb. 50; 1 lb. 1. No. 29 1 2 lb. 75; 1 lb. 1.	.00	Guava, 14 lb. box Guava, 19 lb. box Guava, 1 lb. box Guava Paste	.35 15 .30
		Creme de Menthe (individuals) Wine Apple (individuals) Pousse Cafe (individuals) St. Croix Rum (individuals) Bar-le-Duc, Currant (white and red)	.15
No. 351	40	Pousse Cafe (individuals)	.15
No. 36 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.75	Bar-le-Duc, Currant (white and red)	.15 .25
No. 35 ½ 1 lb No. 36 ½ 2 lb40; 1 lb No. 37	.25		
RUSSIAN AFTERNOON (Black)		Orange and Lemon Slices, per box Apricots, per box Assorted Fruits, per box GrapesMandarin Oranges, per box	.40
No. 40. 1/2 lb40; 1 lb Artistic Tabourettes filled with Tea. 1.	.75	GrapesMandarin Oranges, per box	.75
Artistic Tabourettes filled with Tea 1.	.00	Raspoetries, per box	.40
RUSSIAN CARAVAN		CHUTNEY Major Crove Sweet Sligad	
No. 41 1/2 lb. 1.00; 1 lb. 2. No. 42 1/2 lb. 1.50; 1 lb. 3.	.00	Major Greys, Sweet Sliced small .42; large	.60
MIXED OR BLENDED		CURRY POWDER	
	40	Per bottle	.45
No. 44     1 lb.       No. 46     ½ lb. 40; 1 lb.       No. 48     ½ lb. 50; 1 lb. 1.       No. 50     ½ lb. 65; 1 lb. 1.	75	A high grade article our own importation	
No. 50	25	Bottles 12 oz.	.50
COFFEE		64 oz. tins	1.85
YO-SA		A high grade attack, our own importation Bottles 12 oz. 32 oz. tins 64 oz. tins 128 oz. tins Full Weight	3.60
A combination of high grade coffees scientifically roast	ed	NUTS	
and blended.	.40	Almonds, salted, tin box	.50
	.38	Almonds, spiced .25	.50
MO-RI		Pistachio .30 Pecans, salted, tin box	.60 .50
Roasted, bean only	.30	Almonds, salted, tin box Almonds, salted, small box Almonds, spiced .25 Pistachio .30 Pecans, salted, tin box Pecans, spiced .25 Pignolias, salted, in glass .40 Castanas, salted, in glass .45 Mixed, salted, in glass .45 Mixed, salted, in glass .45 Filberts, salted, in glass .45 Eliberts, salted, in glass .45 Lychee Nuts, small pit, ½ lb. box Lychee Nuts, large pit, 1 lb. bag Glace Nuts in jars .25	.50 .85
CRYSTALLIZED FRUITS		Castanas, salted, in glass	.55
Ginger, 12 lb. tins	.25	Mixed, salted, in glass	$\frac{1.00}{1.00}$
Pineapple, <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb. tins.	.50 .30	Filberts, salted, in glass  Peanuts (Jumbos), in glass	.55
Pineapple, 1 lb. tins	.50	Lychee Nuts, small pit, 12 lb. box	.50
Grape Fruit Peel (crystallized), per box	.50	Glace Nuts in jars	.60

Prices subject to change

SURPRISE BOXES	MARRONS
Japanese box with the smaller ones inside, each separate	Glace, in glass jars \$ .45
No. 0. Containing Opera Drops, Nuts, Magnolios	Stein Ginger       ½ lb40; 1 lb.       .75         Orange Peel       ¼ .15; ½ lb.       .30
and Spice Gum Drops \$ .35	Lemon Peel
No. 1. Fruits, Operas, Spice Gum Drops, Sugared Dates and Spiced Nuts	Cumquots (Small Oranges)
No. 2. Stuffed Dates, Assorted Nuts and Assorted	VIENNA BONBONS AND CHOCOLATES
No. 3. Spiced Nuts, Assorted Chocolates and As-	Per box
sorted Fruits	In a variety of packages from
No. 4. Assorted Nuts, Sugared Dates, Assorted Chocolates Mints and Assorted Fruits 1.35	SPANISH NOUGAT
Each of the above is tied with bow of ribbon on outside	From the best manufacture in Spain, s-s tins35
of box.	From the best manufacture in Spain, 1-s tins65
WAFERS AND CRACKERS	AUSTRIAN CANDIES
Domestic	In shape of Shells Fruits, etc., with fruit centers,
Chocolate Crackers, per box	fancy jar
Svea-Wafers, per box .20 Pecanisquas, per box .25, .60	
Vantine's Rice Wafers, specially made for Afternoon	CONFECTIONERY
Teas, per box	Barley Sugar (imported), glass
	Chocolate Cream Ginger
GERMAN WAFERS—IMPORTED	Cream Peppermints .20 Japanese Rice Candy .35
Mushroom, per tin	Japanese Rice Candy Sticks
Eis, per tin	Japanese Tea Pots, filled
Champagne Cakes, per tin	Japanese Straw Boxes filled with Austrian Candies
Hanover Rolls, per tin	Small fancy boxes filled with Chocolates
Goa, per tin	A. A. V. & Co.'s Sweet Chocolate 1/4s .15; 1/2s .30 Crystallized Rose Leaves30
Moichehr, per tin .50 Bemeroder Pilze, per tin .65	Crystallized Rose Leaves
Zweierlei Geback, per tin	Crystallized Mint Leaves
Waffel Bananen, per tin	Crystallized Lilacs
EDENOH EDUITS OF FCE	CHOCOLATE-COVERED FRUIT CAKE
FRENCH FRUITS, GLACE	24 small squares covered with chocolate
Assorted Glace French Fruits in boxes and fancy	•
Baskets, each	CHOW CHOW
Apricots, per box	Crystallized, not a vegetable, but eight different kinds
Limes, per box	of Chinese Fruits, 34 lb. tin
Pears, per box	TUDVICU DELICUE
Peaches, per box	TURKISH DELIGHT
Strawberries, per box	Assorted flavors with nuts, per box30 to .60





Japanese Stone Lantern and Dwarf Wistaria

(Photo Courtesy of Country Life of America)

In Japan the humblest home invariably possesses some sort of a garden, while the gardens of the well-to-do are often veritable places of enchantment. The typical Japanese garden is laid out with winding paths, miniature hills, streams or lakes, and frequently one or more waterfalls. Trees and shrubs are trimmed and trained in curious fashion, while color is an ever present contrasting beautifier in the shape of blooming bushes as well as those bearing only brilliant hued leaves and occasionally well arranged flower beds.

The special value of the Japanese garden in this country lies in the availability of small areas. Often the size of a piece of land precludes the possibility of an Italian garden or a naturalistic treatment of the American plan. But a Japanese garden may be had in all its completeness in a space where one would have said there was scarcely room for a flower bed. Other systems copy nature on only one set of terms, those of life size, but the Japanese method, while it can be and often is developed on a large scale, may also be reduced from natural size through all stages to a tiny miniature.

Aside from this great advantage, the Japanese garden has other qualities which make it valuable for adaptation by American gardeners. It furnishes a new note for those seeking original treatment of their places, while at the same time it has a beauty which grows upon acquaintance—and there is no kind of garden which has about it a richer amount of sentiment and tradition than the Japanese.

Recognizing the rapidly growing inclination on the part of owners of American homes to make their gardens more and more an out-of-door part of the home itself, Vantine's maintain a special Japanese gardening department which is prepared at all times to furnish Japanese garden ornaments, including such pieces as stone lanterns, stone animals (in the shape of frogs, cows, etc.), bronze lanterns, buddhas, kongs (large pottery jardinieres) and various other ornaments.

To those wishing to beautify and create in the exterior environment of the home a refinement and artistic atmosphere which will outrival that to be found in the famous gardens of Italy, we offer the service of this department, and upon request will furnish gratis full information, suggestions, and where necessary photographs and sketches.

Price List
All prices quoted are f. o. b. New York

## Gold Medallion China

## Blue Canton China

Gold Medallion Clilla		Dide Canton China	
Illustrated on Page 24		Continued	
	Dozen		Each
Plates, flat, 9½ inch	\$15.00	Meat Dishes, oblong, 12 inch	1.25
Plates, flat, 8½ inch Plates, flat, 8 inch Plates, flat, 6½ inch	14.00	Meat Dishes, oblong 13 inch.	1.50
Plates flat 8 inch	13.50	Meat Dishes, oblong, 14 inch	2.25
Plates flat 616 inch	10.50	Meat Dishes, oblong, 14½ inch.	2.50
Plates, deep, 9½ inch	15.00	Meat Dishes, oblong, 15½ inch.	3.00
Plates, deep, 8½ inch	14.00	Meat Dishes, oblong, 16 inch.	3.75
Plotes deep 8 inch	12.50	Meat Dishes, oblong, 17 inch.	
Plates, deep, 8 inch	10.50	Meet Dishes oblong 19 inch	4.50
rates, deep, 072 men		Meat Dishes, oblong, 18 inch. Gravy Dishes, with Well, 14½ inch. Gravy Dishes, with Well, 15½ inch.	6.00
M D' b 11 101/ to . b	Each	Crowy Dishes, with Well, 14 /2 Inch	4.00
Meat Dishes, oblong, 10½ inch	. 2.00	Cour Turner with Ctend I C	5.00
Meat Dishes, oblong, 11½ inch	. 2.50	Soup Tureen, with Stand, L. S.	5.00
Meat Dishes, oblong, 12½ inch.	. 3.00		4.00
Meat Dishes, oblong, 14 inch Meat Dishes, oblong, 15 inch	. 4.00	Covered Dish, square, 11 4 inch	3.00
Meat Dishes, oblong, 15 inch	. 5.25	Covered Disn, square, 9 % inch	2.00
Meat Dishes, oblong, 1616 inch	6.50	Covered Dish, square, 8 ½ inch	1.50
Meat Dishes, oblong, 18½ inch	. 8.00	Covered Dish, square, 8 inch	1.50
Gravy Diches with Well 1515 inch	7 50	Covered Dish, oval, 11 inch	3.00
Soup Tureen, with Stand, L. S.	13.50	Covered Dish, oval, 10½ inch Covered Dish, oval, 9½ inch	2.25
Soup Tureen, with Stand, S. S.	10.00	Covered Dish, oval, 916 inch	1.50
Covered Dish, oval, 1016 inch	4.00	Covered Dish, oval, 9 inch	1.50
Covered Dish, oval, 10½ inch. Covered Dish, square, 9½ inch.	4.00	Covered Dish, oval, 8 inch.	1.25
Sauce Tureen with Stand .	3.00	Sauce Tureen with Stand	1.50
Sauce Boat with Stand	4.00	Sauce Boat with Stand, low.	1.00
Salad Bowl	4.00	Sauce Boat with Stand, high	1.50
Salad Bowl . Bakers, oblong, 9 inch	2.00	Salad Bowl	2.00
Bakers, oblong, 10 inch	2.25	Bakers, oblong, 9 inch	1.00
Bakers, oblong, 11 inch.	2.50	Bakers, oblong, 10 inch	1.25
Pickles Leaf S S	75	Bakers, oblong, 11 inch	1.50
Pickles, Leaf, M. S.	75	Scallops, round, 9 inch.	.90
Pickles, Leaf, M. S.	1.00	Scallone round 01/2 inch	1.25
Pickles, Leaf, L. S. Fruit Baskets, with Stand, 8½ inch. Fruit Baskets, with Stand, 9½ inch.	1.25	Scallops, round, 9½ inch Scallops, round 10¼ inch	1.50
Fruit Baskets, with Stand, 8 2 inch	4.00	Delrope gound 9 inch	1.00
Fruit Baskets, with Stand, 912 inch	5.00	Bakers, round, 8 inch	
Fruit Baskets, with Stand, 11 inch	. 5.25	Bakers, round, 914 inch.	1.25
Nappies, Scalloped, 8½ inch Nappies, Scalloped, 9½ inch	. 2.00	Bakers, round, 11 inch	1.50
Nappies, Scalloped, 9 2 inch	. 2.50	Pickles, leaf, S. S. Pickles, leaf, M. S. Pickles, leaf, M. S.	.40
Nappies, Scalloped, 10 inch		Dieles leef I C	.50 .60
Creamers		Pickles, leaf, L. S.	2.75
Pitchers, pint		Fruit Baskets, with Stand, $8\frac{3}{4}$ inch Fruit Baskets, with Stand, $9\frac{3}{4}$ inch Fruit Baskets, with Stand, $10\frac{3}{4}$ inch	3.25
Mugs, pint	75	Fruit Daskets, with Stand, 9% men.	3.25
Pitcher, 1½ pint	. 2.50	Pitchers, 4 inch.	.75
Odd Dishes, 4 styles, each			1.00
0.00 0 10 - 1	Dozen	Pitchers, 5 inch	1.50
Coffee Cups and Saucers, low	. 18.00	Pitchers, 1 quart	2.00
Coffee Cups and Saucers, after-dinner	. 12.00	Pitchers, 2 quart Pitchers, 4 quart	2.50
Tea Cups and Saucers, low	. 15.00	Odd Dishes, 5 styles	1.50
Tea Cups and Saucers, low	15.00		ozen
This quality Hexagon, Fluted and Plain Shapes		Individual Butters, 21/4 inch	1.20
T D-4 -4i-b4 I C	Each	Individual Butters, 3 inch.	1.50
Tea Pot, straight, L. S.	. 3.50	Individual Butters, 334 inch.	1.75
Tea Pot, straight, S. S. Bowls, 5 inch.	. 2.50	Marvidual Butters, 5/4 men.	Each
Bowls, 6 inch	. 1.00	Mugs, 4 inch	.75
		Creamers	.75
Bowls, 7 inch		Bowls 5 inch	.25
Sugar, L. S.	. 3.50	Bowls 6 inch	.45
Sugar, with handles, S. S.	2.00	Bowls, 5 inch Bowls, 6 inch Bowls, 7 inch	.75
Punch Bowl, 10 inch	. 7.50	Bowls, 8 inch	1.00
Punch Bowl, 12 inch	9.00	Bowls, 9 inch	1.25
Punch Bowl, 13½ inch	. 10.50		
Punch Bowl, 15 inch	. 12.50		ozen 7 50
Punch Bowl, 16 inch	15.00	Coffee Cups and Saucers, extra handled, high 4½ inch	7.50 7.50
Cuspidors, low	3.50	Coffee Cups and Saucers, handled, low, $4\frac{1}{4}$ inch	5.00
Cuspidors, high, 14 inch.	5.00	Tea Cups and Saucers, unhandled, 4.4 inch	7.50
Cuspidors, high, 15½ inch	7.50	Tea Cups and Saucers, extra handled, high, 3 1/4 inch	6.50
D1 C ( C1 '		Tea Cups and Saucers, extra handled, high, 3 4 inch	7.50
Blue Canton China		Tea Cups and Saucers, handled, low, 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> inch	6.50
Illustrated on page 25		Tea Cups and Saucers, inhandled, 3¾ inch	3.50
	Dozen	After Dinnder Coffees, handled, large size, 3 inch	5.00
Plates, flat, 10 inch	6.50	After Dinner Coffees, handled, small size, 2 1/4 inch.	4.00
Plates, flat, 9 inch	5.00	mier Conces, nandicu, sman size, 2,4 men.	Each
Plates, flat, 9 inch. Plates, flat, 7½ inch.	3.25	Coffee Pot, L. S	3.00
Plates, flat, 6 inch	2.50	Coffee Pot, M. S.	2.50
Plates, deep, 10 inch	6.50	Coffee Pot, S. S.	2.00
Plates, deep, 9 inch.	5.00	Chocolate Pot, S. S.	1.00
Plates, deep, 7 ½ inch	3.25	Chocolate Pot, M. S.	1.25
Plates, deep, 6 inch	2.50	Chocolate Pot. L. S.	1.50
Fine Plates, flat and deep, 6 inch	5.00	Chocolate Pot, L. S	1.00
Fine Plates, flat and deep, 7½ inch.	7.50	Sugars, handled, L. S.	1.50
Fine Plates, flat and deep, 7½ inch. Fine Plates, flat and deep, 8½ inch.	8.00	Teapot, straight, without Stand, L. S.	1.50
Fine Plates, flat and deep, 9 \( \frac{1}{2} \) inch \( \therefore	10.00		1.25
Hot Water Plates, uncovered	1.25	D. C.	Ozen
Hot Water Plates, covered	1.75	Fruit Saucers, small size, 434 inch.	3.60
	Each	Fruit Saucers, large size, 5 <sup>3</sup> 4 inch.	4.20
Meat Dishes, oblong, 10 inch	Each .90	Fruit Saucers, large size, 534 inch.	Each
Meat Dishes, oblong, 10 inch	. 90		Each
Meat Dishes, oblong, 10 inch.  Meat Dishes, oblong, 11 inch.	. 90		



On the second floor, where dainty kimonos from Japan, Oriental silks and artistic Turkish embroideries are shown.



Entrance to chinaware section, basement, where the famous Vantine Oriental delicacies are also displayed.

